

<b>DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UTILITY OR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION</b> (37 CFR 1.63)		Attorney Docket No.: BRU6144P0030US
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As a below-named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled: **FUSE COMBINATION UNIT WITH MAINTAINED LOCKING**, the specification of which:

- ☐ is attached hereto; or
- ☒ was filed on July 20, 2000 as PCT International Application Serial No. PCT/EP00/06945 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR. 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application Numbers	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached?	
				YES	NO
199 34 542.2	Germany	07/22/99	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
299 12 853.2	Germany	07/22/99	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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- ☐ Additional foreign application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet attached hereto.

I hereby claim the benefit of any United States application(s) listed below.

